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10 October 2007
Reference
Notice No.
2007-20

MEMORANDUM FOR: **NAVIGATION INTERESTS**
 GULF INTRACOASTAL WATERWAY
 BRAZOS RIVER FLOODGATES, TEXAS

SITUATION: NAVIGATIONAL RESTRICTIONS

The Dredge “Wayman Boyd” (King Fisher M Marine Service, LP) will be relieving the Dredge “Shamrock” and starting dredging operations either today or tomorrow in the Gulf Intracoastal Waterway, Brazos River Crossing. Placement will continue using submerged and floating discharge lines which extends downstream to discharge corridors in the Brazos River. A different operating scheme for the Dredge has been requested. After 72 hours of this notice the Brazos River Locks will operate on 12 hrs on and 12 hrs off mode until completion. Estimated completion time is 14 days. This work will require closures of the gates during the designated periods of work.

TIME: 10 October 2007 to 24 October 2007, 6:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. Work will be performed seven (7) days a week.

COOPERATION
SOLICITED:

Mariners should contact the Lock Master at (979) 233-1251 to confirm the closure time so as to minimize their delay. The Lock Master will be knowledgeable of the exact closure times 24 hrs in advance of closure. Mariners are urged to transit at their slowest safe speed to minimize wake and proceed with caution after passing arrangements have been made.

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